

REMARKS

This Supplemental Amendment is filed as a supplement to the previously submitted Response dated January 24, 2007 in reply to the non-final Office Action mailed on November 1, 2006. The Director is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818. If such a withdrawal is made, please indicate the Attorney Docket No. 117682-2 on the account statement.

Applicants have amended Claim 1 to more clearly recite, in part, the intended scope of Applicants' claimed invention. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the amendment to Claim 1 be entered. Applicants encourage the Examiner to contact the undersigned should the Examiner identify any additional issues that can be addressed over the telephone.

Respectfully submitted,

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